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Petersbourg, February 21.

THIS Morning early died, in an advanced Age, Prince Dolgorouky, the eldeſt Feldt Marſhal of this Empire.

Copenhagen, March 5, *N. S.* By Letters from Gottenbourg of the 26th paſt, there is Advice, that the Frederick, which was to ſail with the Swediſh Officers, was then frozen up there.

Berlin, March 12. The King of Pruſſia continues ſtill at Potzdam, and is not now expected here before the 26th Inſtant. Major General Walrave, Chief of the Corps of Engineers, repaired ſome Days ago from Magdebourg to Potzdam. Upon ſeveral Complaints againſt the Margrave of Schwedt, by his own Subjects, his Pruſſian Majeſty had directed a Commiſſion to examine their Grievances and to redreſs them; but his Highneſs not being pleaſed with what has been ſentenced by the ſaid Commiſſioners in Favour of the Subjects, and going on with regard to them as formerly, 300 Dragoons have been ſent to Schwedt, to remain there till his Highneſs ſubmits to the Judgment; and the King of Pruſſia's Attorney General is gone likewiſe to examine into the Grievances of the Peaſants.

Liege, March 15. The French in Alſace are augmenting the Fortifications of Landau, and repairing the Lines of Germerſheim and Lauterbourg. We have Advice from Francfort, that Eſterhaſi's Regiment of Huſſars, followed by Wurmbrand's, paſſed by that City upon the 8th and 9th of this Month.

Bruſſels, March 17, *N. S.* We have Advice from Mons, that the French Troops are cantoned in ſuch a Manner about that City, that nothing can go into it without their Leave. We hear from Malines, that the Prince of Waldeck continues in his old Poſition, being Maſter of the Dyle and the Rupple. The Hotel d'Egmont, in this Town, is fitting up for the Reception of the French King. M. Lowendahl is making new Fortifications here, the chief of which are between the Gates of Scharbeek and Louvain, and thoſe of Namur and Halle.

Willemſtadt, March 15, *N. S.* The Britiſh Dragoons returned hither the 8th Inſtant. The 9th they began to diſembark: It blew ſo hard the 11th, that there was no Poſſibility of bringing a Ship to the Head; it froze very hard the 12th and the 13th; there was more Ice in the River than has been ſeen this Winter; the Tranſports were much damaged by it, and with great Difficulty ran their Ships on Shore. It thawed very faſt Yeſterday, and does the ſame to Day, ſo to Morrow we hope to diſembark again. The Council of State has appointed one M. Teddinga, Lieutenant Quarter-maſter General to their High Mightineſſes, to ſucceed Colonel Stuart as Conductor to the Britiſh Troops thro' their Territories.

Willemſtadt, March 18. The Britiſh Dragoons are diſembarked from all the Tranſports except two, ſo that the whole will be finiſhed early to Morrow Morning, if the Weather will permit. As theſe Forces have come on Shore, they have advanced to their old Cantonments in the States Territories, and the whole Corps will march about Monday or Tueſday next towards Antwerp.

Hague, March 18. The Prince of Waldeck ſtill maintains his Poſt behind the Dyle without Moleſtation, and receives daily Reinforcements to his Army. Mons and Charleroy are ſo environed by the French, that the Dutch Soldiers returned from Furlo, and the Recruits, cannot, as is ſaid, join their Regiments in thoſe Garriſons.

Whitehall, March 10.

This Day an Expreſs arrived from his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, with the following Intelligence.

Aberdeen, March 5. The whole Army arrived at this Place by the End of laſt Week; and we ſhall have within theſe four or five Days a Recruit of 500 recovered Men from Edinburgh and England, beſides the Regiment of Bligh, which is coming up by Sea; and as the Heſſians are moving forwards towards Perth, the Scotch Fuſileers are alſo to come up this Way from that Place, as ſoon as the firſt Diviſion of the Heſſians draws near it; and the Duke of Kingſton's Regiment of Horſe is within a March of us. The Day after his Royal Highneſs came hither, he

he detached Lord Ancram with 100 Dragoons, and Major Morris with 300 Foot under his Command, to a Caſtle at the Head of the River Don, 40 Miles from hence, called Corgarf, and ſituated in the Heart of the Rebellion, in order to get Poſſeſſion of a Quantity of Spaniſh Arms and Powder which were lodged there; his Lordſhip took them without Reſiſtance, the Rebels having quitted the Caſtle upon his Approach; but as they had driven away the Horſes of the Country, he was forced to deſtroy moſt of the Arms, and 30 Barrels of Powder. Lord Aberdeen is here, and ſhews the greateſt Zeal for his Majeſty's Service. Lord Findlater, and his Son in Law Mr. Grant, are alſo come hither, the latter of whom offers to bring out 600 of his People arm'd, which he will do as ſoon as every thing is ready for our March.

Two Days ago his Royal Highneſs received a Letter from Lord Loudoun, dated Balnegamar, Feb. 22, wherein it is mentioned, that upon Sunday the 18th the Rebels lay within eight Miles of Lord Loudoun at Inverneſs; upon which his Lordſhip marched out with 1500 Men to beat up their Quarters, and got half Way undiſcovered, when a Detachment which he had ſent to prevent Intelligence, going a nearer Road, contrary to Orders, fired about 30 Shot at four Men, which alarmed the Country, and threw the Body along with Lord Loudoun into Confuſion, during which a great many of his People diſperſed, ſo that it was neceſſary to march back to Inverneſs, from whence his Lordſhip would have joined his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, but the Rebels changing their Situation made that impoſſible, and his Lordſhip therefore finding himſelf at the ſame time unable to defend the Place with the Numbers that remained with him, threw two of the Independent Companies into the Caſtle, with a ſufficient Quantity of Proviſions; and having put on Shipboard what Arms and Ammunition could be ſpared, on Tueſday at Twelve marched out of Inverneſs, and croſſed the Ferry at Keſſack without the Loſs of a Man, though the Rebels were in Poſſeſſion of one End of the Town before he left the other. From thence he croſſed into Cromartie in order to have it in his Power to croſs the Firth of Murray, and join his Royal Highneſs in Caſe his Army had been ſo far advanced, but the Rebels approaching, obliged him to croſs at Tair, in order to put himſelf behind the River in a defenſible Poſt.

The laſt and beſt Accounts we had of the Rebels, were, that Lord Lewis Gordon, with the Perſon call'd Lord John Drummond, were at Gordon Caſtle, on this Side the Spey, with about 100 Men, juſt to cover their Quarters. The main of their Body, which they call 2000, is on the other Side of that River, making a Shew of Retrenching themſelves, tho' they have but two Pieces of Cannon with them, and thoſe without Carriages, which they coaſted along from Montroſe hither.

The Pretender's Son is ſtill at Inverneſs, with 3 or 4000 of the Clans, according to their own reckoning, ſo that if a Stand is made at all, it will be probably there. We move but ſlowly, being obliged to carry Magazines of all Sorts of Proviſions with us, which incumbers and retards us. The March from hence to Inverneſs will take ſome Days to form, as that of the Highlanders, of whom we ſhall have a conſiderable Body, muſt be concerted and ſettled at the ſame Time: But we ſhall be again in Motion as ſoon as poſſible.

Whitehall, March 8.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Hutton Perkins, Eſq; the Office of Regiſter to the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Revenue of Exciſe, in the Room of John Blois, Eſq; deceaſed.

Admiralty Office, March 10, 1745.

My Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having received Information, that Thomas Mansfield, late Maſter of the Ship King's Meadow, was ſometime in the Month of October 1744, *murthered on board the ſaid Ship, in her Paſſage from Jamaica to London; and there being now two Perſons committed to the Marſhalſea Priſon, charged with the ſaid Murther; this is to give Notice, that if any Perſon or Perſons, who were on board the ſaid Ship at the Time the Fact was committed, will attend at this Office in order to bring the Offenders to Juſtice, they ſhall meet with all due Encouragement, and have Protections to ſecure them from being preſt.*

Tho. Corbett.

General-Poſt-Office, Feb. 28, 1745.

All Gentlemen and others who Trade or Correſpond with the Levant, are hereby deſired to take Notice, That according to Advice tranſmitted to this Office, their Letters for the Levant, will, for the future, be conſtantly forwarded from Vienna to Semlin upon the firſt Wedneſday or Saturday of every Month, (computing after the Manner of the New Stile) as the one or the other of thoſe Days ſhall fall out at the Beginning of each Month. And that from Semlin their Letters will, for the future, be directly forwarded to Conſtantinople with all Speed and without Delay.

N. B. It will be neceſſary their ſaid Letters ſhould be ready to ſet out from Holland about the 20th of every Month, New Stile, that they may not loſe the Benefit of this Conveyance.

By Command of the Poſt Maſter General,

Geo. Shelvocke, *Secretary.*

Engliſh Copper Houſe, March 5, 1745.

The Court of Aſſiſtants of the Governor and Company of Copper Miners in England do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Buſh Lane, London, on Monday the 7th of April next, from Ten in the Forenoon till One in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, Deputy Governor,

Governor, and Ten Assistants for the Year ensuing, and to consider of a Dividend; also, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut from Wednesday the 19th Instant, till Wednesday the 9th of April next. They further give Notice, that printed Lists of the Proprietors of reduced Shares will be ready to be delivered at the said House on Friday the 28th Instant.

By the Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy.

These are to give Notice, that this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to sell and import the Stores undermentioned, for his Majesty's Service, between Nine and Ten of the Clock each Morning, on the Days express'd against the same, that they may attend with their Proposals at those Times, viz.

Wednesday, March 12. Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals.
Friday, March 14. Norway Goods.
Wednesday, March 19. Hemp.
Friday, March 21. Tarr.
Wednesday, March 26. Riga Masts.

Navy-Office, March 1, 1745.

The Right Hon. the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury having appointed Money for paying of Half Pay to Sea Officers, from the 1st of January 1744, to the 30th of June 1745, according to his Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf;

These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, at Nine of the Clock in the Morning, the following Days, to wit, on Monday the 17th of this Month for Captains, Tuesday the 18th for Lieutenants, and Thursday the 20th for Masters and Surgeons, that all Persons concerned may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the Affidavits required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the said Half Pay, but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his present Majesty. And in Case any of the said Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Person they are employed by.

East-India-house, March 7, 1745.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, That the Quarterly General Court of the said Company, which will be holden on Wednesday the 19th Instant, will be also on special Affairs.

The Committee for letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, give Notice, that they intend to lett by several Leases the following Lots, viz.

No 1. On a building Lease for 61 Years, or a repairing Lease for 21 Years, at the Option of the Bidder, One Messuage or Tenement on the East Side of the Old Bailey, turning in from Newgate, untenanted, in Lease to Mr. Samuel Hamilton.

2. On a building Lease for 61 Years, or a repairing Lease for 21 Years, at the Option of the Bidder, One Messuage or Tenement on the East Side of the Old Bailey, known by the Sign of the Flying Hog, in the Occupation of Farmer, Widow.

3. On a building Lease for 61 Years, Two Messuages or Tenements on the East Side of the Old Bailey, one late the Crooked Billet (the Front whereof is pulled down) the other on the North Side thereof, and adjoining thereto, with the back Ground thereto belonging.

4. On a Building Lease for 61 Years, One Messuage or Tenement in Thames-street, near Broken Wharf, untenanted, late in the Possession of Thomas Haman.

5. On a Building Lease for 61 Years, One Messuage or Tenement, with a Shed, and back Ground, the upper End of Little Moorfields, the Corner of Rope-makers-Alley, in the Occupation of Willmott, a Rope maker.

6. On a Lease for 21 Years, One Messuage or Tenement, in Front, in the Old Bailey, in the Occupation of Samuel Benson; and one Messuage or Tenement behind the same, known by the Sign of the Four Kings, in the Occupation of Samuel West.

7. On a Lease for 21 Years, One Messuage or Tenement, Warehouse and Vault, in Mincing-lane, untenanted, late in the Occupation of Mr. Hughes, a Merchant.

8. On a Lease for 21 Years, One Messuage or Tenement almost facing White-cross street, without Cripplegate, untenanted, late in Lease to Thomas Jackson.

9. On a Lease for 7 Years, The Profits arising by the publick Column situate on Fish street Hill, commonly called the Monument.

And that the said Committee will sit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 19th of March instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the same: Of which further Information and printed Particulars may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid. On which said printed Particulars all Persons bidding for any of the above Lots are to write their Proposals.

D. Seaman, Comptroller.

Advertisements.

This Day is published, Price 2 s.

AN ESSAY on the Causes of the Decline of the FOREIGN TRADE, consequently of the Value of the Lands of Britain, and on the Means to restore both.

As of all the Methods of raising Taxes on the People the easiest and most equal must naturally raise the most Money, and the fewest Murmurs; a Proposal is here offered to the Consideration of the Publick, for one Tax on the voluntary Consumers of superfluous Luxuries, to supply all our present, positive, and involuntary Taxes, without their ill Consequences, more easy, more equal, speedier raised, productive of more Money, which will every Year bring in large Sums to carry on the present War; at the same Time restore Trade, and increase the Value of our Lands. Preface, Page 4.

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PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of William Harvest the Elder, late of Isleworth, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer, deceased, are peremptorily, to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Cursitor Street, Chancery Lane, on or before the 1st Day of May next, in order to receive a Satisfaction for the same, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Jervoise, late of Heriard in the County of Southampton, Esq; deceased, are to come in and prove their Debts before Richard Edwards, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, before the First Day of Easter Term next ensuing, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

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